



PATENT

RCE *[Signature]*IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the application of:

Chatani, Masayuki

Application No: 09/846,100

Filed: April 30, 2001

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING  
EVALUATION OF TEXT-BASED PRODUCTS)  
) Group Art Unit: 2157  
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) Examiner: Sall, El Hadji Malick  
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) Atty. Docket No: SONYP008  
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) Date: July 5, 2005CERTIFICATE OF MAILINGI hereby certify that this correspondence is being  
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-  
identified application.

## 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously  
filed on May 9, 2005.
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously  
filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☐ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37  
C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees

- a. ☒ Check in the amount of \$790.00 \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed for:
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e);
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17); and
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees, or credit any  
overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. SONYP008).

Date: July 5, 2005*[Signature]*  
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